## Message

From: Carey, Richard (DEP) [Richard.Carey@MassMail.State.MA.US]

**Sent**: 1/24/2018 7:03:22 PM

**To**: Hagy, Jim [Hagy.Jim@epa.gov]

**CC**: Kimberly Groff [Kimberly.Groff@state.ma.us]

Subject: RE: MassDEP Marine Dissolved Oxygen (DO) Technical Advisory Committee - Response to comments - Phase II

Jim,

We have typically scheduled in person meetings, but a conference line will be available if travelling to the meeting is inconvenient. We held prior meetings at MassDEP's office in Worcester. Once the two meeting dates are confirmed, I will provide more information on specific options to participate.

Thanks, Richard

From: Hagy, Jim [mailto:Hagy.Jim@epa.gov] Sent: Wednesday, January 24, 2018 1:54 PM

To: Carey, Richard (DEP)

Subject: RE: MassDEP Marine Dissolved Oxygen (DO) Technical Advisory Committee - Response to comments - Phase II

Hi Richard – Is the idea that these will be conference calls, or should I be entertaining attending in person if possible? - Jim

From: Carey, Richard (DEP) [mailto:richard.carey@state.ma.us]

Sent: Wednesday, January 24, 2018 12:13 PM

To: Hagy, Jim <Hagy.Jim@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: MassDEP Marine Dissolved Oxygen (DO) Technical Advisory Committee - Response to comments - Phase II

Thanks, Jim. I will confirm the dates soon.

Richard

From: Hagy, Jim [mailto:Hagy.Jim@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, January 24, 2018 1:09 PM

**To:** Carey, Richard (DEP)

Subject: RE: MassDEP Marine Dissolved Oxygen (DO) Technical Advisory Committee - Response to comments - Phase II

Richard – My schedule does not have any conflicts on the 5 dates that you proposed. - Jim

From: Carey, Richard (DEP) [mailto:Richard.Carey@MassMail.State.MA.US]

Sent: Wednesday, January 24, 2018 12:02 PM

To: Hagy, Jim < Hagy. Jim@epa.gov>

Cc: Kimberly Groff < Kimberly.Groff@state.ma.us>

Subject: MassDEP Marine Dissolved Oxygen (DO) Technical Advisory Committee - Response to comments - Phase II

Jim,

Thank you for your comments on the draft report reviewing saltwater dissolved oxygen (DO) criteria in Mount Hope Bay and the Taunton River, Massachusetts. Because of the number and complexity of comments we received, MassDEP

has engaged Normandeau and Tetra Tech in a Phase II effort to address your comments and look more broadly at Marine DO criteria.

To this end we would like to invite you to two follow-up Technical Advisory Committee meetings to address the comments and finalize the DO criteria report. **April 3rd or April 5th** are possible options for the first meeting and **May 1st, May 2nd, or May 3rd** are possible options for the second meeting. Before we finalize the dates for both meetings, please let us know if your schedule would prohibit you from participating on any of these potential dates.

Once I have your input I will follow-up to communicate the dates and times for the meetings.

Thanks,

Richard O. Carey, Ph.D.

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